Hunt Family Ancestry

1824 – 2017

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THE HUNT ANCESTRY

Sometime in the 1980's my late aunt Anita LeBlanc prepared an ancestry of the Hunt family in an outline format and distributed it to many of our family members. I saw her last in June 2007 when she attended my wedding in Leesburg Virginia and I mentioned to her that one day I would like to continue her work. At her funeral in 2011 my dad sadly remarked that he was now the last of his generation. Before he passed away in 2016 we chatted often about those he called "the old Hunts" and he provided me with some family details. In return, I was able to show him photographs of people and places mentioned in his sister Anita's project. My mother continues to pull out old photos from some mysterious place she keeps them and they provide new clues.

I was almost done with updating Anita's research when I received an email from an unknown relative in Toledo where the early Hunts grew up. I had been posting memorials on Findagrave.com and she saw my name. Helen Hunt Read is the daughter of Frank William Hunt (1914-1997) whose father was William John Hunt (1880-1947), the first child of Thomas Hunt, our mutual great grandfather. Thomas was the first born of William George Hunt and Ellen Crimmins, our great-great grandparents.

Helen Read has opened a new chapter of our family as I doubt that any of us realized that there are a dozen or more living Hunts in Ohio, in addition to our cousins the Holtes. Of the 10 children of William G. and Ellen only two, William John (1st born) and Francis Leo (4th born) raised children whose families have continued all the way to 2017. Helen Read has been doing Hunt ancestry research since 1962 and her information was actually the basis for Anita's outline. Anita visited her in Toledo and they walked the cemeteries there and in Amherstburg, collected names and dates, and pursued public records. I have recently walked through those same cemeteries before I knew about Helen.

The attached Hunt ancestry is about our deceased relatives. To show where we of the year 2017 fit in I've included the names of cousins in my generation. To make it a family tree you may wish to continue it with information about yourselves and your children. Print copy is being distributed because it's easy to flip through. The data files will be sent to you because your children are accustomed to that format and might use them to expand the research in the future. You can browse more photos and grave markers at www.findagrave.com by entering the memorial # in the website's search block.

We are very fortunate to have photographs of Thomas, Ellen, William and Zuletta courtesy of Helen Hunt Read. I expect that more photos will surface and I'll forward them if and when they do. Finally, if you see errors in the research please bring them to my attention. It was common to find conflicting dates and spellings in the sources used. If you have old Hunt photos please consider scanning them and sending them along. Thanks!

Accuracy in Census Records

Census records for the U.S. (1790-1940) and Canada (1825-1921) have been transcribed by optical character recognition (OCR) scanners into typed text for ease in data searches. However, the original image of each page needs to be examined to assure accuracy. The U.S. census of 1890 perished in a fire in the Commerce Department building in 1921 with only 6,160 names surviving, an impediment to tracing the Hunt family from 1880 to 1900. The details of the 1950 U.S. census will be not be released until 2020.

Problems in using census data to create an family ancestry include the accuracy of the data citizens gave to the census takers, linguistic misunderstandings, errors in OCR scanning due to handwriting variables (usually script) and the condition of the enumeration sheets (smudged, faded etc.). Accuracy could be affected by the person answering the census takers' questions.
If the head of the family wasn't home, who provided the information, child, relative, guest, landlord, neighbor?

Census takers usually didn't ask for identification. The only common ID in the 19th century and earlier was a birth certificate, a keepsake document that was usually kept secure in the home, not carried in a wallet. Births in the 1800's were often at home and only recorded in a city or county registry without the issuance of a certificate. Social Security cards were not issued until 1936 and although passports were available most people didn't bother with obtaining one unless they planned foreign travel. Driver's licenses weren't common until the 1920's. Workers' identification cards were issued by relatively few employers.

Questions asked of citizens varied somewhat with each census. In some years people were asked their current age and in others "age at next birthday" was requested. An individual's birth year might not be the same in every census and could change for several reasons. Citizens could alter their true age for personal reasons and some people didn't know their exact birthday. Until the 1880's the celebration of birthdays was not widespread. A birth date might be written down in the family bible, but without annual birthday celebrations, it is not surprising that parents did not remember the correct age of their children when asked by a census taker. Birth dates of adopted children could be just an estimate if not originally known. Birth locations might be falsified for citizenship purposes. Ages could be falsified to enhance employability or for vanity.

William George Hunt *179025915*

b. 22 Nov. 1824, England
m. 25 Jan. 1853, Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada, St. John the Baptist
d. 4 July 1897, Toledo, Ohio; Calvary Cemetery; (Cause of death: paralysis)
Occupations: Teamster, engineer, steamboat engineer, marine engineer.

m. Ellen Crimmins *179027590*
b. Sept. 1837, County Limerick, Ireland
d. 5 June 1906, Springfield, Massachusetts; St. Michael's Cemetery

Children of William & Ellen Hunt (10)

1. Thomas Hunt *179026003*

b. 7 Nov. 1853, Grosse Isle, Wayne Co. Michigan
m. 23 Sept. 1879, Amherstburg, Ontario, St. John the Baptist
d. 24 July 1917, Toledo, Ohio; Calvary Cemetery; (Cause of death: stroke)
Occupations: Carpenter, workman on the Canadian Pacific Railway; mechanical engineer

m. Ellen Josephine Lovett (Nellie, Nell) 179027785
b. 17 July 1861 or 5 June 1858, Dingle, County Kerry, Ireland
d. 27 Feb. 1931; Staten Island NY, St. Peter's Cemetery

Children of Thomas & Ellen Hunt (8 – A to H)

A. William John Hunt *179028282*
b. 28 July 1880, Amherstburg, Ontario
m. 27 Oct. 1904, Toledo, Ohio
d. 3 Nov. 1947, Toledo, Ohio; Forest Cemetery
Occupations: Medicine packer, core maker, stock keeper, laborer, fireman, engineer, C&O dock worker, coal loading operator. U.S. naturalization - 1891

m. Zuletta Pearl Dilley *179028390*
b. 18 Feb. 1884, Blackburg, Ottawa Co., Ohio
d. 28 Mar. 1937, Toledo, Ohio; Forest Cemetery

William remarried on 1 March 1941; spouse: Louanna A. Little, b. 25 April 1883, d, 14 Sept. 1945 in Toledo. Residence: Oregon Township, Lucas Co. Ohio.

Children of William John Hunt & Zuletta Pearl Dilly (5)

Albert Charles Hunt *179028469*
b. 22 Feb. 1905, Toledo, Ohio
d. 9 Jan. 1942, Toledo Ohio; Forest Cemetery (coronary thrombosis)
Occupation: Sheet metal worker at shipyard; Train car rider with C&O Railway Co.
m. 7 Aug. 1926, to Martha Jane McAuley (1908 – 1951) Worked at Libby Glass Co.
children: Robert Irwin, (b. 23 Sept 1925, d. 14 Dec. 1987)
Charles William, (b. 9 March 1927 d.18 Jan. 2006) *13156694*

Irene Beatrice Hunt (infant) *179028514*
b. 25 Feb. 1907, Toledo Ohio
d. 23 June 1907, Forest Cemetery, Toledo (spasms)

Stella Pearl Hunt *85839552*
b. 27 June, 1908, Toledo Ohio
m. 5 Oct. 1946, to Marion Middaugh (1906-1955)
d. 29 Jan. 1954, Ottawa Hills Mem. Park, Lucas Co. Ohio

Vivian May Hunt *85704747*
b. 23 April 1913, Toledo Ohio
m. 5 Dec. 1936 to Herman Reining (b. 18 Oct. 1911, d. 6 Nov. 1985)
d. 27 March 1986; interred with Herman, Toledo Memorial Park, Lucas Co. Ohio
Child: Frederick Reining (b. 1938, d. 2001)

Frank William Hunt *78287447*
b. 8 Oct. 1914, Toledo Ohio
m. 30 Aug. 1936 to Dorothy Reining, b. 24 Nov 1915 d. 26 Sept 2008; Herman's sister)
d. 22 June, 1997; Interred with Dorothy, Toledo Memorial Park, Lucas Co. Ohio

B. Thomas Joseph Hunt *179028964*
b. 21 Feb. 1883, Amherstburg, Ontario
m. date ? - to Luella T. Hunt (nee Jensen; 1886-1959), no children
d. 20 Jan. 1933; Interred together in Lakeview Cemetery, Port Clinton, Ohio
Occupations: Great Lakes sailor, plumber, stationary engineer, mechanic. See obit.

C. John David Hunt ("Jack") *67973795*
b. 16 Sept. 1885, Amherstburg, Ontario
d. 10 July 1970; Roswell NM, interred Sunset Gardens, Carlsbad NM
Occupations: Marine operating engineer, tug boat and dredge operator.

D. Francis Leo Hunt *179032411*
b. 4 Nov. 1888, Amherstburg, Ontario
m. 12 Feb. 1918

d. 21 June 1954, Staten Island NY; St. Peter's Cemetery
Occupations: Dredge operator, marine engineer

m. Mary Frances Pickett *179032686*
b. 8 March 1895, Albany NY
d. 17 Nov. 1974, Staten Island NY; St. Peter's Cemetery
Occupation: Receptionist at physician's office.

Children of Francis L. & Mary Hunt (5)

Francis Leo Hunt 183065599
b. 31 Oct. 1918, Brooklyn NY
d. 19 Nov. 1961; St. Peter's Cemetery, Staten Island, NY
Occupation: Tug boat operator – Army Corp. of Engineers (US Navy reservist)

m. Dorothy Schoenweiss 183065652
b. 30 May 1920
d. 28 Nov. 1985; St. Peter's Cemetery, Staten Island, NY
Occupation: Secretary – insurance company.
Children: Robert F. (deceased), Gerald, Kevin

Robert John Hunt 183058933
b. 27 Sept. 1922
d. 23 Sept. 1937; St. Peters Cemetery, Staten Island, NY (cardiac disease)
(Interred with Ellen Josephine *Lovett* Hunt and Mary Isabell Hunt)

Raymond Thomas Hunt 171177468
b. 2 Nov. 1924, Brooklyn, NY
d. 25 July 2016, Sterling Virginia; Interred in Arlington National Cemetery
Occupations: Bookkeeper, accountant, comptroller

m. June Dorothy Raun
b. 26 Dec. 1925, Staten Island NY
(Children: Gary Thomas, Brian Raymond. David William

Marie Theresa 78957901
b. 2 Feb. 1926, Staten Island, NY
d. 31 Oct. 2005; Interred in Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, Ohio

m. Frederick G. Holte 78957900
b. 24 July 1925
d. 4 Aug. 2010; Interred in Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, Ohio
Children: Jim, Ellen, Barry, Eric, Donald; (deceased: Thomas, Nancy)

Anita May
b. 23 May 1932, Staten Island, NY.
d. 11 Oct. 2011, Freehold, NJ
Occupation: Anita LeBlanc worked for a vascular surgeon for 25 years.
m. Denis J. LeBlanc, b. ? d. 1990, Staten Island, NY

Children:
Denise A. LeBlanc (Hamm) d. 8 Aug. 1997; (daughter: Amanda Hamm)
Craig D. LeBlanc, d. 25 Nov. 2016

E. Mary Isabell Hunt ("May") 179032948
b. 9 Dec. 1890, Amherstburg, Ontario
d. 27 Sept. 1967, interred in St. Peter's Cemetery, Staten Island NY; Interred with Ellen Josephine *Lovett* Hunt (d. 1931) and Robert John Hunt (d. 1937). Her name is not inscribed on the monument.

F. Alfred J. Hunt 179026052
b. Jan. 1895, Toledo, Ohio
d. 6 March 1899, (age 4) Interred - Calvary Cemetery, Toledo, Ohio (diphtheria)

G. Roy Patrick Hunt 67973856
b. 20 Sept. 1899, Toledo, Ohio
m. 1 May 1936 in Queens New York
d. 1 July 1973; Roswell NM, interred in Sunset Gardens, Carlsbad New Mexico
Occupation: Painting contractor in 1940 census. In the 1920's-1930's Roy was a U.S. gold and silver medalist in professional ice dancing and figure skating.

m. Mary E. Hayes
b. 1904, Irish Free State
d. *(possible date: 6/28/1965, St. John's Cemetery, Middle Village, Queens NY. Mary and Roy lived with John (Jack) and Mary Isabell (Mae) in Queens. She is not interred with Roy in New Mexico.)*
Occupation: Billing clerk, automobile agency in NYC

H. Joseph Edward Hunt (or Patrick Joseph Hunt, discrepancy between birth & death records)
b. 16 March 1902
d. 31 Aug. 1902; interred Calvary Cemetery, Toledo, Ohio. (cholera infantum)

(Children of William George Hunt & Ellen Crimmins Hunt, continued)

2. Edward Hunt 179033333
b. 16 April 1856, Amherstburg, Ontario
d. 18 Feb. 1885, Amherstburg, Ontario, St. John the Baptist Cemetery
Occupation: Mariner

3. Mary Anne Hunt 17033576
   b. 5 July 1858, Amherstburg, Ontario
   m. 6 May 1879, Amherstburg, Ontario
   d. 3 Jan. 1882, Amherstburg, Ontario; interred St. John the Baptist Cemetery

   Spouse: Samuel Heard (son of John H. & Maria Pincombe)
   b. 23 May 1858, Lambeth, Ontario
   d. 30 April 1934, interred St. Thomas Cemetery, Elgin Co., Ontario Canada
   Occupation in 1881 Canadian census – wood turner, barber.

   Child: Margaret, (b. 25 July 1881, d. 3 Dec. 1881 – died of consumption)
   (Samuel married three more times before his death in 1934.)

4. William George Hunt (Jr.) 179038389
   b. 18 April 1861, Amherstburg, Ontario
   d. 19 Jan. 1882, Amherstburg, Ontario, St. John the Baptist Cemetery
   Occupation in 1881 Canadian census – clerk.

5. David John Hunt
   b. 12 May 1863, Amherstburg, Ontario
   m. 21 Nov. 1883, Argentine, Kansas; date of death unknown
   Occupation in 1881 Canadian census – clerk.

   Spouse: Kate F. Green 103302460
   b. 3 April 1866, New York
   d. 20 Nov. 1907, interred in Maple Hill Cemetery, Kansas City, Kansas
   Occupation: 1900 U.S. census – running a boarding house in Kansas City.

   Child: Maurice G. Hunt
      b. 24 Aug 1884, in Missouri
      m. 19 June 1914, to Grace Adair, (b. 5 Oct 1876; d. 30 June 1945)
      d. 28 May 1959, interred in Oakwood Cemetery, Osawatomie, Kansas City, KS
      (See attached obituaries for both.)

6. Alfred Joseph Hunt 179067105
   b. 3 Sept. 1865, Amherstburg, Ontario
   m. 1891, Missouri
   d. 24 Oct. 1940; interred in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery, Hayward, California
   Occupation: Electro-typist for a newspaper

   m. Merta Adrienne Narron (parents: Robert N. & Hannah Doyle) 179068230
   b. 24 Dec. 1873, Missouri
   d. 23 May 1944; Interred with Alfred

Children of Alfred & Merta (4):

Helen Levina Hunt
b. 11 Jan. 1892, Kansas City Missouri
d. 22 Jan. 1961, San Francisco, CA
(Occupations: Stenographer for a railroad; bookkeeper)

m. 12 June 1912 to George M. Burns (b. 1 June 1890) in Toronto, Ont.

Children:

George Burns: b. 4 Dec. 1913; d. 11 Oct. 1994 in Nevada City, CA
Barbara Edna Burns: b. 15 July 1916; d. 4 Dec. 1985, San Francisco, CA

m. 1920 to Elmer Earl Shular (b. 31 March 1895 Canada; d. 6 April 1940) Alameda CA
Child: Elmer Earl Shular Jr., b. 12 Feb. 1921 in Canada; d. 19 Oct. 1991, San Francisco CA. (WWII veteran, grave marker notes he was a Staff Sergeant)

Alfred Emmanuel Francis Hunt 68177958
b. 30 June 1895, Kansas City, Missouri
d. 7 July 1962; WWI U.S. Army veteran - Interred in Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Bruno, California
Occupation: 1918 draft registration stated he was a pipe fitter for Algoma Steel Corp. in Sault St. Marie, Ontario. Usual occupation: Electro-typer for foundry or print shop.

m. 1 Nov. 1919 to Florence Mabel Siggens, in Toronto, Ont. (divorced ca 1940)
b. 6 March 1897, London, England
d. 10 Feb. 1958, Alameda, California

m. Josie Antoinette Hunt
b. 5 Dec. 1885
d. 24 Nov. 1972; Interred with Alfred, Golden Gate Cem., San Bruno, CA 3590911

Edward James Hunt
b. 11 July 1889 Massachusetts
d. 1966, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
Occupation: Electro-typer
m. 8 March 1920 to Matilda Thirza Ringham, b. 1903, in Toronto, d. 1995
(Residing in Toronto Canada with one child (Martha?) in 1921 census.)

Merta Agnes Hunt 26634309
b. 16 Sept. 1901, Springfield, Massachusetts
m. 13 March 1920
d. 24 Oct. 1928; interred in Mount Hope Catholic Cemetery, Toronto, Ontario CN

m. Stephen W. McLaren, in Toronto, Ontario
b. 24 Aug 1898, Dundee, Scotland
d. 16 Sept. 1946; interred with Merta
Occupation: "Mechanical dentist", after his WWI military service in France.

7. Ellen L. Hunt 179068393
b. 11 June 1868, Amherstburg, Ontario
m. 23 July 1885, Amherstburg, Ontario
d. 4 June 1886, Amherstburg, Ontario, St. John the Baptist Cemetery

m. Joseph Robidoux
(Child: Caroline, baptized 25 Aug. 1885, Amherstburg, Ontario)

8. Elizabeth Adele Hunt, ("Ida")
b. 13 Nov. 1870

She moved to Toledo with her parents in 1892 and lived with Thomas's family. After the 1900 census there is no reliable record of her. She is not the Ida M. Hunt in Forest Cemetery where several other Hunts are buried. Assumed deceased by 1906 as she was not mentioned in Ellen Crimmins' death notice.

9. Francis Emmanuel Hunt
b. 3 March 1873, Amherstburg, Ontario
d. 21 Jan. 1893, Kansas City, Missouri (injuries from a boiler explosion)
Occupation: Noted as a grocer on MInn. Ave., near 10th St., Kansas City

10. Margaret Hunt 179068542
b. 11 August 1875, Amherstburg, Ontario
d. 14 March 1877, Amherstburg, Ontario; St. John the Baptist Cemetery; (age 19 mo.)

HUNT

The earliest record of the Hunt family in Canada is the marriage of William George Hunt and Ellen Crimmins on January 25, 1853 in St. John the Baptist R.C. Church, Amherstburg, Essex Co., Ontario, Canada. William George was born in England and was the son of George Hunt and Sarah Thompson.

William and Ellen had ten children, all born in Amherstburg except perhaps Thomas, their first, whose birth registration indicates he was born in Wayne Co. Michigan. He was baptized in St. John's three days later so his birth may have been intentionally misstated for citizenship purposes. In the 1800's Canadians and Americans moved quite freely across the Detroit River by boat or ferry. All ten children were baptized in St. John's and five are known to be interred in the church's cemetery having lived out their lives in the Amherstburg Ontario area.

Thomas married Ellen Josephine Lovett in 1879. In 1892 they moved with their first five children to Toledo Ohio. They were joined in 1895 by his parents and his sister Elizabeth. Thomas' last three children were born in Toledo. He is listed there in the 1900 U.S. census with Ellen, six children, his mother and sister Elizabeth.

The family was completely missed in the 1910 census and by the 1920 census Thomas had died (1917) and Ellen Josephine was living with just two of their children, Mary Isabell and Roy Patrick. All three moved to Staten Island sometime after 1920 and were living together in the 1930 census. Ellen died in 1931 and was interred in St. Peter's Cemetery on the island. By the 1940 census siblings Mary Isabell, John David and Roy Patrick (with his wife Mary Hayes) were living at the same address in Queens, New York.

William George died in 1897 and is buried in Calvary Cemetery (Toledo) in an unmarked grave. His wife, Ellen Crimmins, eventually moved to Springfield Massachusetts to live with her son Alfred. Her 1906 obituary says she was survived by only two children, Alfred and Thomas.

(Note: Virtually all of the 1890 U.S. Census perished in a January 1921 fire in the U.S. Dept. of Commerce building in Washington DC. leaving us with no official information about the Hunts between the 1880 and 1900 enumerations.)

CRIMMINS

Ellen Crimmins' parents, Edmond and Margaret, both died by 1851, probably in Ireland. On her marriage record Ellen gave her mother's maiden name as Margaret Shanessy (probably a misspelling of Shaughnessy). In the church records of Shanagolden, County Limerick, there is a baptism of a Mary Crimmins (b. 9 Oct. 1836), daughter of Edmond and Margaret (Shanahan?) Crimmins.

The 1851 Willington Quay, England census shows John and Mary (Donovan) Crimmins with John's "orphaned niece", Ellen, in their household and was raised by them in Amherstburg.

John Crimmins was a career army man. He entered the 95th Regt. of Foot in 1819 and retired on August 8, 1842. He was pensioned off to Canada July 1, 1851. On a plaque at Fort Malden in Amherstburg is this inscription: "In 1851 when the British Regiments were withdrawn, Military Pensioners were sent to Fort Malden to maintain the fort and provide a degree of military strength." They were offered homes or small land grants in exchange for employment by the province of Ontario as policemen and for serving as an interim military force.

John Crimmins

b. 1790, Robertson, County Limerick, Ireland
d. 24 March 1882, Amherstburg, Ontario Canada, (jaundice), interred St. John the Baptist cemetery.
The census of 1881 finds John living with daughter Ellen and her spouse, Daniel Graveline. John is listed as a pensioner.

Mary Donovan

b. ca 1812, Jersey, Channel Islands, England; daughter of Thomas Donovan
d. 6 Dec. 1858, Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada; interred St. John the Baptist cemetery

Their children:

1. Margaret Crimmins
   b. 1844, Limerick, Ireland
   d. 9 April 1877, Amherstburg, Ontario Canada, interred St. John the Baptist cemetery
   m. 19 June 1874 to John O'Neill

2. Mary Ann Crimmins
   b. 1845, Limerick, Ireland
   d. ?

3. Thomas Crimmins
   b. ca 1847 (Listed in John Crimmins' obituary, no other information.)
   d. ?

4. Elizabeth Crimmins
   b. ca 1848
   d. 26 Nov. 1872

5. John Patrick Crimmins
   b. June 1848, Willington Quay, Northumberland England
   d. 2 Aug. 1878, Amherstburg, Ontario Canada; Cause of death: consumption
   m. 27 Feb. 1874 to Eliza Ann England in Amherstburg, Ontario
   Occupation: Tinsmith

6. Edmond John Crimmins
   b. 6 Dec. 1850, Willington Quay, England
   d. 15 Dec. 1879, Amherstburg, Ontario Canada; Cause of death: consumption
   m. 11 Aug. 1876 to Jane (Jennie) Robidoux (age 17), in Amherstburg, Ont.
   Occupation: blacksmith

   Children of Edmond and Jane

   John Edmond Lewis Crimmins, b. 26 Aug 1877, d. 3 March 1933 in Amherstburg Ont.
   Margaret Mary Crimmins, b. 18 Nov. 1879, d. 2 Feb. 1880 in Amherstburg, Ont.

7. Ellen Crimmins
   b. 9 March 1853, Amherstburg
   d. 20 Nov. 1872, Amherstburg, Ontario, St. John the Baptist cemetery
   m. 24 Oct. 1877 in Amherstburg Ontario to Alexander Daniel Graveline (b. 1848)
   (Daniel is listed in the census as a labourer and carpenter.)

8. Brigitte
   b. 28 April 1857; Amherstburg Ontario
   d. 9 May 1861; Amherstburg Ontario (age 5)

LOVETT

On Ellen Josephine Lovett's marriage record her parents are listed as John Lovett and Mary Shea. On her death record her mother is listed as Mary Long.

Baptismal records at Dingle, Ireland show both John Lovett and Mary Shea and John Lovett and Mary Long. The record shows a Nell, born 5 June 1858, daughter of John Lovett and Mary Shea. There was also a "Batt" (Bartholomew) born 28 January 1856 and a child born on 10 October 1852. The residences of both sets of parents was always Strand St. The marriage register for Thomas and Ellen shows her name as "Nelly" and her mother as Mary Shea. Ellen's grave monument in St. Peter's Cemetery on Staten Island NY is inscribed "Ellen J. Hunt".

As Ellen was just a child when she came from Ireland, her parents or other adults must have accompanied her. She should be on the 1870 or 1871 census as a child but she is not.

Ellen had a brother, John, who married Katherine Cavanaugh in 1876. John was born in1850 in Ireland and died December 13, 1915 in Detroit. Katherine was born 1851 in Holyoke Massachusetts and died in 1911 in Amherstburg. The couple are interred together in St. John the Baptist Cemetery. They had one son who died in infancy.

Katherine's obituary states that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. William (John) Hunt from Toledo went to her funeral. It also states that a Mrs. Smith, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Hunt accompanied them. Her identity in the Hunt family still cannot be determined. John Lovett was not listed among Katherine's survivors although she preceded him by four years. (Photo, Lovett gravestone)

It is generally believed that the Lovett's were an American family and only later lived in Amherstburg. Katherine's obituary states that they married in 1876 and "came to Amherstburg" in 1880, which supports that theory.

PICKETT

William Pickett was born in 1865 in County Cork, Ireland. He emigrated to the U.S. in 1892, arriving on the Holland Line ship Maasdam on April 6th of that year. He settled in the Albany area of New York and was employed as an iron works laborer.

There is a 1909 admissions record of a William Pickett, a widower, at the Rensselaer County Alms House. This could be our William because, although his stated age is a year or two younger than expected, the rest of the descriptors match perfectly – Irish, emigrated 17 years prior (1892), Catholic, laborer and always lived in the county. He was noted as being in poor health due to sickness. The 1920 census found William as a patient in the Pawling Sanitarium for tuberculosis patients in Wynantskill NY, near Troy.

Helen Pickett (maiden name unknown) was born in 1871 and emigrated in 1888 when she was about 17. William and Helen's marriage date is unknown but was probably between 1890 and

1894. Although her death date cannot be determined Helen probably died by 1909 if the William Pickett in the Alms House was her husband. In the 1910 census their daughter Mary Frances is living with her aunt and uncle John and Nora Coffey in Troy. That could indicate that Helen had died and William was too ill to care for Mary. In the only surviving photograph of the family Mary appears to be about two years old.

William and Helen's children:

1. Mary Frances
   - b. 8 March 1895
   - d. 17 Nov. 1974, Staten Island NY, St. Peter's Cemetery
   - m. 12 Feb. 1918 to Francis Leo Hunt (1888-1954)
     Occupation in 1910 census: Examiner in a collar shop.

2. Redmond (changed his name to Raymond after 1924)
   - b. 20 Jan. 1897
   - d. 4 Dec. 1976; Interred with Mary in St. Peter's Cemetery, Staten Island NY
   - m. Mary ? - date unknown; (maiden name is possibly Passanno); died 1 June 1963

   Redmond's occupations: 1930 – Proprietor of religious articles;
   1940 – Store manager, P.J. Kennedy & Sons, a publishing company.

   Raymond and his wife Mary had three children:
   Helen, born in 1920; Died from a fall at home, date unknown.
   Mary, born in 1922, known as "May", died after 1990
   Raymond, born in 1924, known as Buddy, relocated to Florida, year unknown

3. Nellie (infant)
   - b. Feb. 1899
   - d. 21 June 1901, Troy NY. Interred in St. Mary's Cemetery, Troy NY

   Raymond and Mary's residences: 1930 – 2510 Ocean Ave. Brooklyn NY
   1940 – 404 Palmer Ave, Staten Island NY

Cemetery Research

St. John the Baptist Cemetery, Amherstburg, Ontario Canada:

At least five of William and Ellen Hunt's children are said to be buried in this 11 acre cemetery in use since 1864. Co-located with Rose Hill Cemetery and bordered by Alma St. and Meloche Road it is part of a family of seven Catholic cemeteries in the Windsor-Essex area. This is the third and present site for the cemetery. The first was located on Bathurst Street and was destroyed by fire in 1843. The second cemetery was located near the church on Brock Street.

In addition to the Hunts there are several members of the Crimmins and Lovett families here. Burial records are not fully digitized so a request was emailed to the cemetery office (9/6/17) for further information. I was not able to locate the Hunt graves although a few Crimmins markers and one Lovett marker are still standing. Sections of the cemetery are bordered by paved lanes but lot and row markers are absent requiring that you walk each entire section to search for specific graves.

Calvary Cemetery, Toledo Ohio

Calvary cemetery, the largest Catholic cemetery in Toledo in terms of interments, sits on 140 acres in the very heart of the city. Founded in 1886 as the burial place for the dead of all congregations of the city, the cemetery today has recorded over 106,000 interments.

William George Hunt, his first born son Thomas and Thomas' four year old son Alfred are here. Burial records clearly show the section, lot and grave numbers for each but none of the three have monuments. Their numbered lot markers, usually stone or metal, are gone, probably sunken in the ground. At the time of burial the cemetery would have placed a number marker on each grave, pending placement of a monument, so that the family could easily locate it.

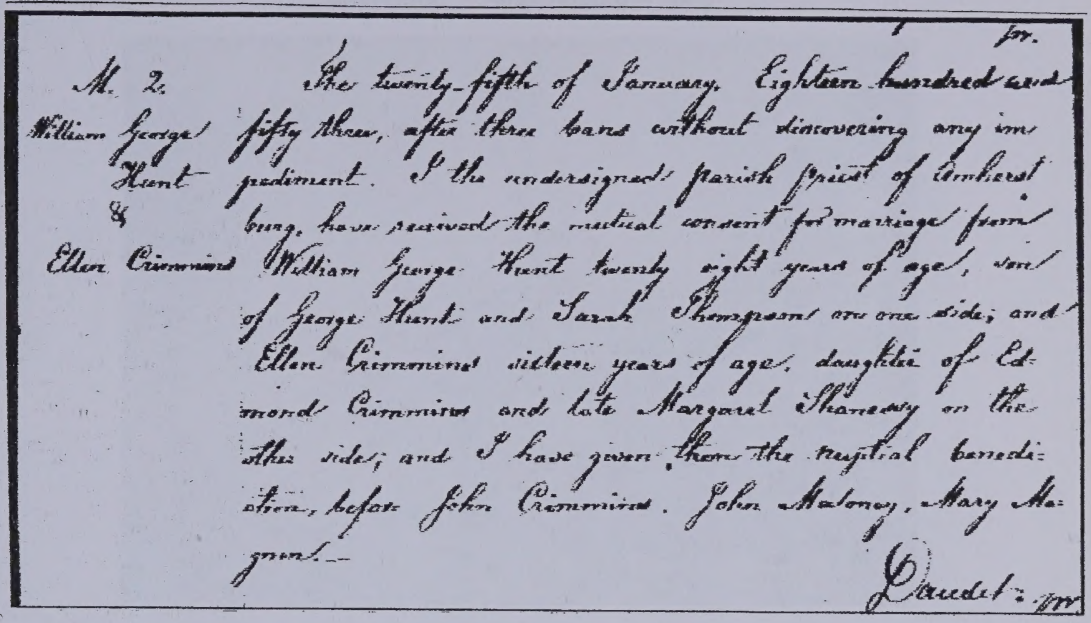
Grave monuments may be missing because families couldn't afford one after paying for the funeral. From 1900 to 1915 the cost of a typical funeral was $100 - $200 with a small engraved granite or marble monument adding another $50 or more. The average annual salary in 1915 was about $700. Paying a quarter of one's annual salary to bury a loved one would not have been easy.

Monuments are also lost to vandalism, weather, ground defects, lack of maintenance and indifference. Perpetual care seems to mean only grass cutting and road maintenance, and sometimes lifting up a toppled marker. Families relocate leaving nobody to maintain the grave. Very close to what should be William George's grave a huge tree limb had recently fallen and destroyed two old monuments, although neither was a Hunt marker. You could walk right on top of the Hunt graves and miss them entirely.

Forest Cemetery, Toledo Ohio

This 80 acre city run cemetery was established in 1832 and is an oasis in an otherwise run down section of the city. Burial records are digitized and easily found on www. toledo.oh.gov. Of the eight Hunts buried here four have monuments and four do not.

Section, lot and grave monuments for four Hunts were easy to find in the newer sections but not in the Old Commons section where four other Hunts are buried. Again, many lot and row markers are sunken in the ground or missing and no Hunt monuments were located in Old Commons. A recent newspaper article noted that the cemetery has only five maintenance workers. Grass cutting is kept up but restoration of broken and fallen monuments is not.



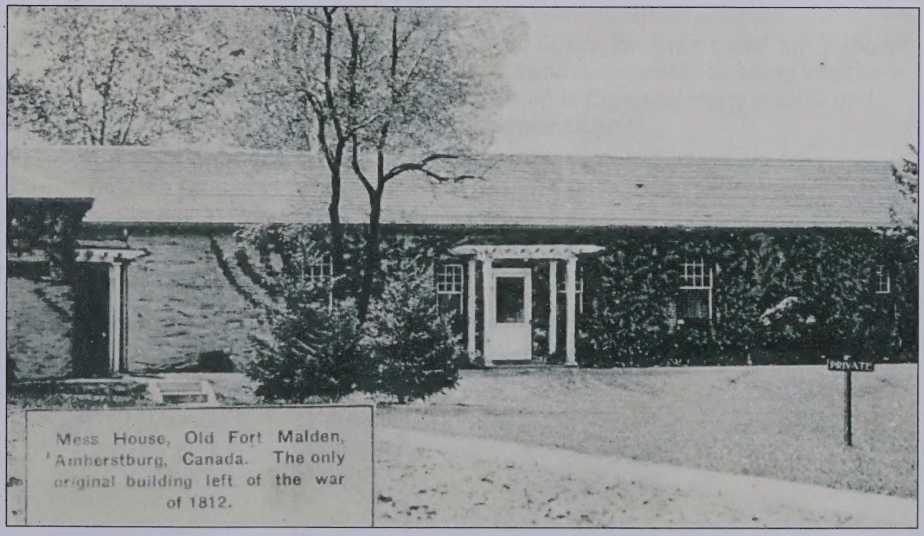
M. 2.
William George Hunt
&
Ellen Crimmins

The twenty-fifth of January, Eighteen hundred and fifty three, after three bans without discovering any impediment, I the undersigned, parish priest of Amherstburg, have received the mutual consent for marriage from William George Hunt, twenty eight years of age, son of George Hunt and Sarah Thompson on one side, and Ellen Crimmins sixteen years of age, daughter of Edmond Crimmins and late Margaret Shanessy on the other side, and I have given them the nuptial benediction, before John Crimmins, John Maloney and Mary Magnon.

Daudet.
(Jean Daudet, pastor)

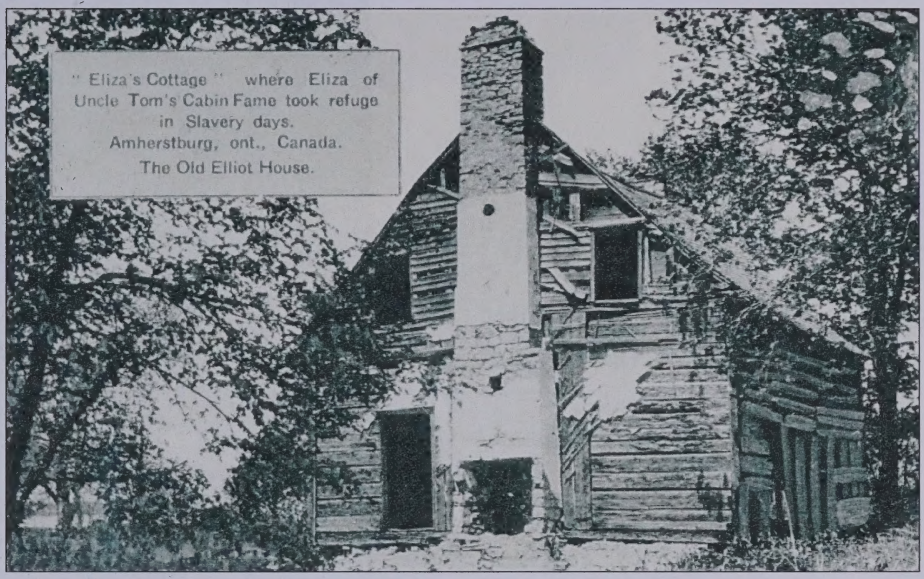
Main Street – Amherstburg – 1865

William George and Ellen had been married for 12 years in 1865



As a British Army pensioner, John Crimmins, Ellen's uncle would have been familiar with this mess house at Fort Malden, Amherstburg

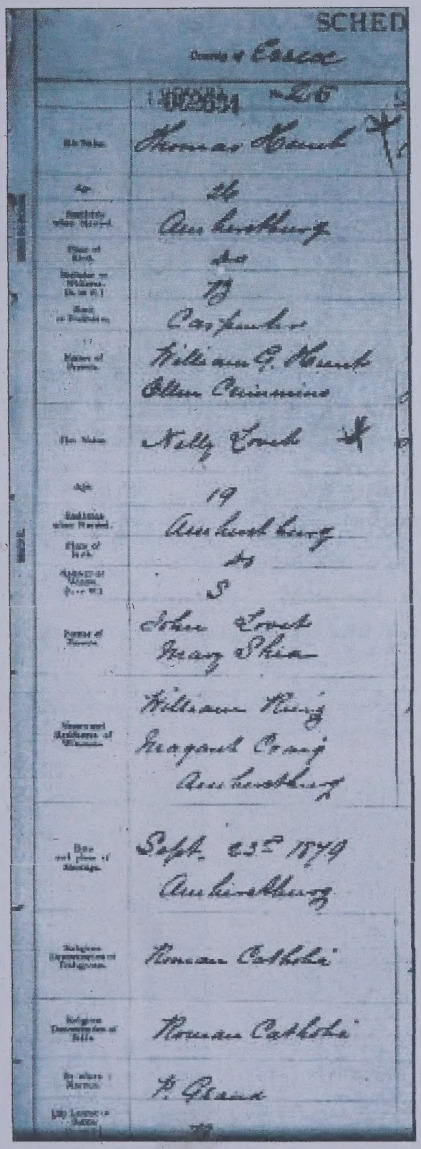
Eliza's Cottage in Amherstburg


" Eliza's Cottage " where Eliza of
Uncle Tom's Cabin Fame took refuge
in Slavery days.
Amherstburg, ont., Canada.
The Old Elliot House.

In Harriet Beecher Stowe's 1852 novel "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Eliza is a slave and personal maid to Mrs. Shelby who escapes to the North with her five-year-old son Harry after he is sold to Mr. Haley. Her husband, George, eventually finds Eliza and Harry in Ohio and emigrates with them to Canada, then France and finally Liberia.

The character Eliza was inspired by an account given at Lane Theological Seminary in Cincinnati by John Rankin to Stowe's husband Calvin, a professor at the school. According to Rankin, in February 1838 a young slave woman, Eliza Harris, had escaped across the frozen Ohio River to the town of Ripley with her child in her arms and stayed at his house on her way further north. (Wikipedia)

Uncle Tom's Cabin was the most popular novel of the 19th century. The Hunts of Amherstburg were very likely to have read it and perhaps were aware of the proximity of Eliza's cottage.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County of Essex
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Thomas Hunt
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Amherstburg
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Carpenter
William G. Hunt
Ellen Crimmins
Nelly Lovett
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Amherstburg
do
S
John Lovett
Mary Shea
William Ring
Reynard Craig
Amherstburg
Sept. 23rd 1879
Amherstburg
Roman Catholic
Roman Catholic
P. Brennan

Marriage of Thomas Hunt, age 26, and Nelly (Ellen) Lovett, age 19.

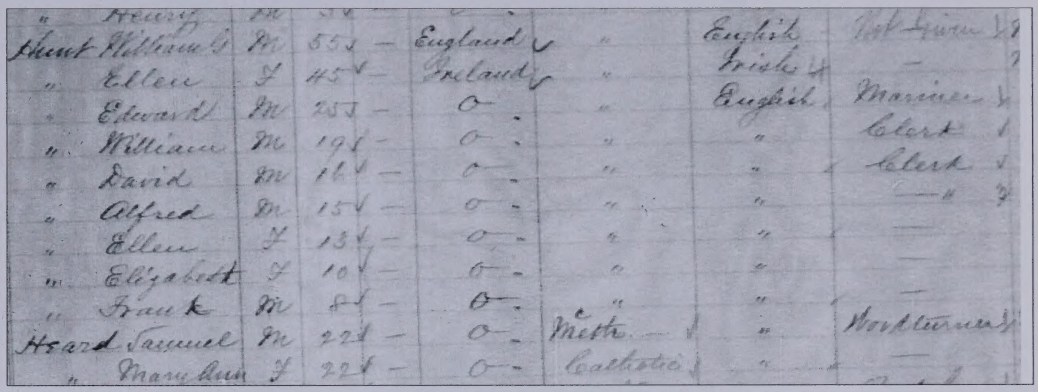
Ontario, Essex Co., Amherstburg

September 23, 1879

Parents:
William G. Hunt & Ellen Crimmins

John Lovett & Mary Shea

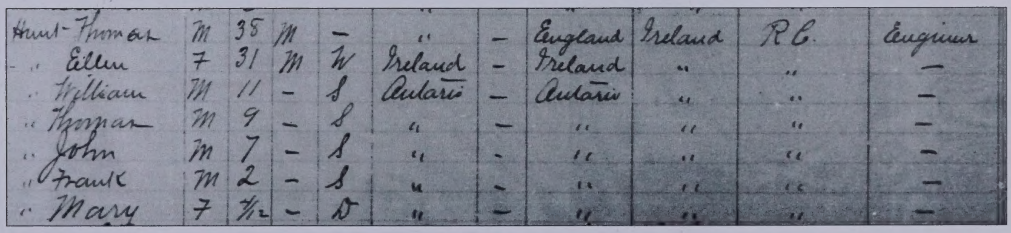
1881 Canadian Census
Amherstburg, Essex Co., Ontario



Hunt	William G	M	55	—	England		English	Not given
"	Ellen	F	45	—	Ireland	"	Irish	—
"	Edward	M	25	—	O	"	English	Mariner
"	William	M	19	—	O	"	"	Clerk
"	David	M	16	—	O	"	"	Clerk
"	Alfred	M	15	—	O	"	"	—
"	Ellen	F	13	—	O	"	"	—
"	Elizabeth	F	10	—	O	"	"	—
"	Frank	M	8	—	O	"	"	—
Heard	Samuel	M	22	—	O	Methodist	"	Wood turner
"	Mary Ann	F	20	—	O	Catholic	"	—

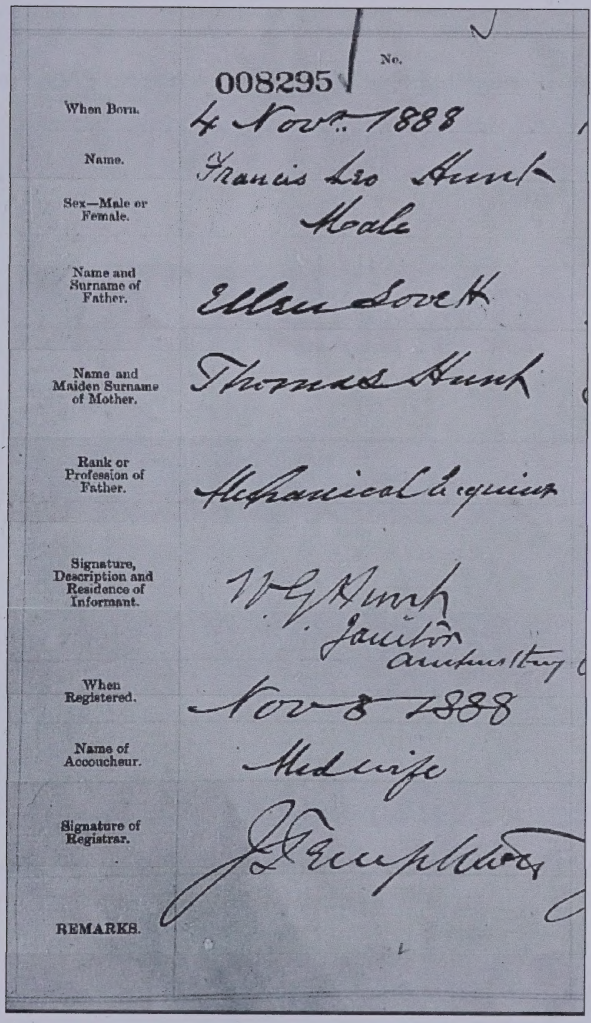
Family of William George and Ellen (Crimmins) Hunt
8 of 10 children are present.
Thomas has married and moved; Edward is a mariner
Margaret, the last born, has died in infancy
Mary Ann Hunt has married Samuel Heard, a wood turner.

1891 Census - Canada



Hunt	Thomas	M	38	M	—	"	—	England	Ireland	RC	Engineer
"	Ellen	F	31	M	W	Ireland	—	Ireland	"	"	—
"	William	M	11	—	S	Ontario	—	Ontario	"	"	—
"	Thomas	M	9	—	S	"	—	"	"	"	—
"	John	M	7	—	S	"	—	"	"	"	—
"	Frank	M	2	—	S	"	—	"	"	"	—
"	Mary	F	½	—	D	"	—	"	"	"	—

Family of Thomas and Ellen Hunt
Thomas' occupation is "engineer"



No. 008295

When Born. 4 Nov. 1888

Name. Francis Leo Hunt

Sex—Male or Female. Male

Name and Surname of Father. Ellen Lovett

Name and Maiden Surname of Mother. Thomas Hunt

Rank or Profession of Father. Mechanical Engineer

Signature, Description and Residence of Informant. W. J. Hunt Janitor Amherstburg

When Registered. Nov 8 1888

Name of Accoucheur. Midwife

Signature of Registrar.

REMARKS.

Birth registration of Francis Leo Hunt
4 November 1888
Amherstburg, Ontario

Parents: Thomas Hunt & Ellen Lovett (reversed)
Thomas is a Mechanical Engineer
Francis Leo was the 4th of 8 children of William and Ellen Hunt

Transportation across the Detroit River to Ontario Canada

Steamer ferry Excelsior sailed from Amherstburg to Detroit
Built in 1876 – Photo circa 1915

Thomas Hunt
1853-1917

Ellen Josephine (Lovett) Hunt
1861 – 1931

Ellen J. Hunt & Mary Isabell (May)

Ellen Crimmins

From the Springfield Daily News
Wednesday, June 6, 1906, page 2

"The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Hunt was held at her late home at 19 Granville Street this morning, followed by a high mass of requiem at the church of the Hold Family. Rev. W.T. Sherry officiated. The burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, the bearers being William Elliott, Patrick Conron, Thomas Condon, and John O'Brien."

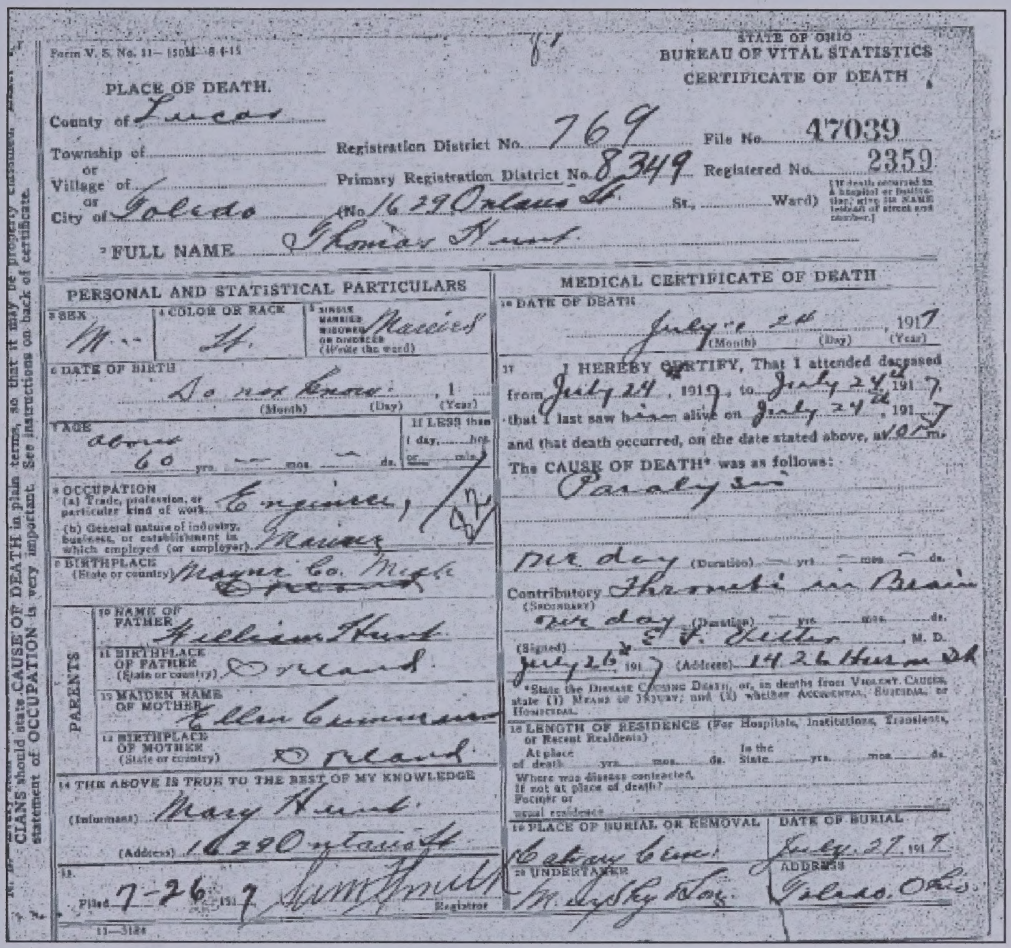
....and...

Death of Mrs. Ellen Hunt:

"Mrs. Ellen Hunt died yesterday at the home of her son, Alfred J. Hunt, at 19 Granville Street. Besides the son at whose home the death occurred, another son, Thomas Hunt of Toledo, Ohio survives. The funeral will be held at 19 Granville Street tomorrow morning at 8:45 o'clock, followed by services in the Church of the Holy Family at 9:00 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Michael's Cemetery."

* * * * *

Ellen Crimmins Hunt, 1837-1906, was the wife of William G. Hunt. Between 1853 and 1875 they had 10 children. One died in infancy. Her grave does not have a marker, nor does that of William who is interred in Calvary Cemetery, Toledo, Ohio. The locations of each grave are known and recorded.



STATE OF OHIO
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Form V. S. No. 11—150M—8-4-15

PLACE OF DEATH.

County of Lucas
Township of
or Village of
or City of Toledo (No. 1629 Orleans St. St., Ward)
Registration District No. 769
Primary Registration District No. 8349
File No. 47039
Registered No. 2359

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Thomas Hunt

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M
4 COLOR OR RACE W.
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married
6 DATE OF BIRTH Do not know (Month) (Day) 1 (Year)
7 AGE above 60 yrs. — mos. — ds. If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Engineer
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) Factory
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Wayne Co. Mich.

PARENTS
10 NAME OF FATHER William Hunt
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ireland
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Ellen Crummins
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Ireland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Mary Hunt
(Address) 1629 Orleans St
15 Filed 7-26 1917 Sam Smith Registrar

11—3184

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH July 24 1917 (Month) (Day) (Year)
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from July 24 1917 to July 24 1917
that I last saw h— alive on July 24 1917
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 10 a.m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Paralysis
one day (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.
Contributory (Secondary) Thrombosis in Brain
one day (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.
(Signed) E. F. Fuller M. D.
July 26 1917 (Address) 1426 Huron St

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)
At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?
Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Toledo Cem. | DATE OF BURIAL July 27 1917
20 UNDERTAKER M. Lysky & Son | ADDRESS Toledo, Ohio

CIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. The statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

Certificate of Death

Thomas Hunt
(husband of Ellen Lovett)
7 Nov. 1853 – 24 July 1917

Parents: William George Hunt and Ellen Crimmins

1900 U.S. Census, Toledo Ohio

Hunt	Thomas	Head	W	M	Nov 1853	46	M 21		Michigan	Eng
	Ellen	Wife	W	F	Jun 1860	39	M 21	8	6 Ireland	Ire
	William	Son	W	M	July 1880	19	S		Canada	Mi
	Thomas	Son	W	M	Feb 1882	18	S		Canada	Mi
	John	Son	W	M	Sep 1884	16	S		Canada	Mi
	Francis	Son	W	M	Mar 1888	11	S		Canada	Mi
	Mary	Daughter	W	F	Dec 1891	8	S		Canada	Mi
	Patrick	Son	W	M	Sept 1899	9/12	S		Ohio	Mi
	Ellen	Mother	W	F	Sept 1837	63	W	2	2 Ireland	Ire
	Elizabeth	Sister	W	F	Nov 1874	26	S		Canada	En

925 Ash St.

Family of Thomas Hunt & Ellen (Lovett) Hunt in Toledo Ohio.

Thomas is 46, a marine engineer. Ellen is 39
William John is 20, a medicine packer
Thomas Jr. age 18, is a box maker
John David (Jack) is 16
Francis Leo is 11
Mary Isabell (May) is 8
Patrick (Roy P.) is 9 months old

Thomas' mother, Ellen Crimmins Hunt, age 63, lives with the family
Her husband William George has died in 1897 on the 4th of July

Thomas' sister Elizabeth Adele (Ida) Hunt is 26.

1920 U.S. Census, Toledo Ohio

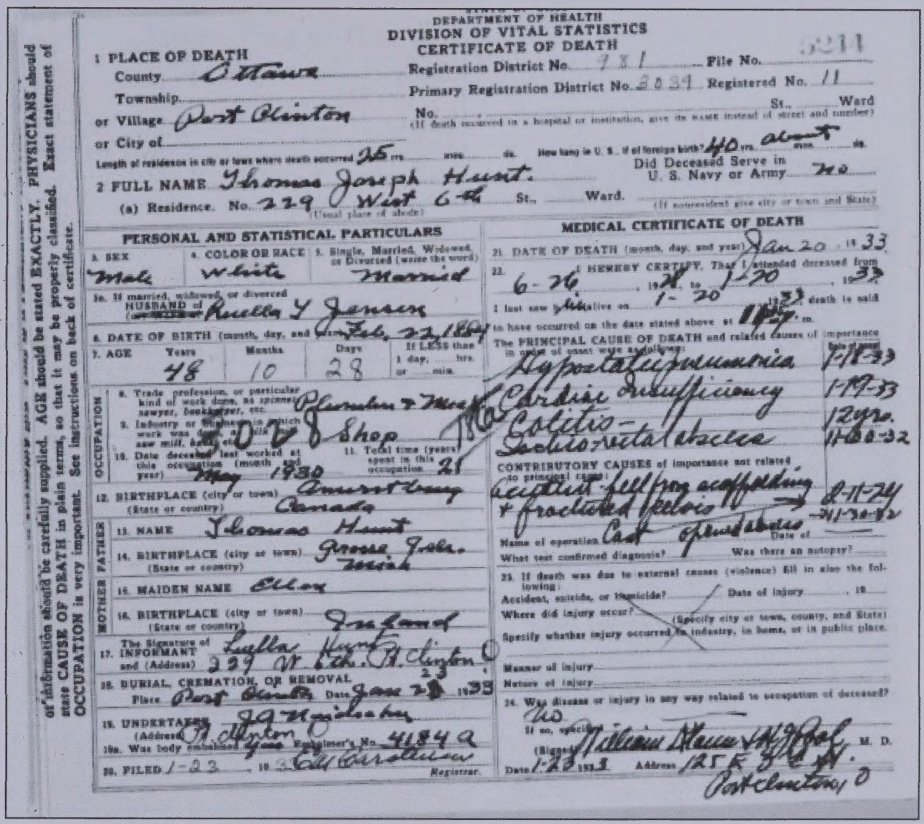
Buffalo																				
809	106	110	Hunt	Cora	Wife		R.	F	W.	32	M.							Yes	Yes	
				Ellen	Head	L		F	W.	55	Wd	55	Na.	1891				Yes	Yes	
				Mary	Daughter			F	W.	29	S.	18	Na	1891				Yes	Yes	
				Roy	Son			M	W.	20	S.						No	Yes	Yes	
807	107	111	King	John P.	Head		R.	M	W.	42	M.							Yes	Yes	
								F	W.	26	M							Yes	Yes	

The Hunt family is living at 809 Buffalo St.Toledo. Thomas Hunt died in 1917 so Ellen L. Hunt is a widow. Daughter Mary (May) is a department store sales lady, Roy Patrick is a sign painter. The other Hunt siblings have grown up and moved away. At 20, Roy was the youngest and Mary, at age 29, is single.

809 Buffalo St.

134 E. Second St.
Port Clinton, Ohio

1920 Census residence of Thomas Joseph & Luella Hunt
Thomas was the 2nd son of Thomas & Ellen Hunt



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Ottawa
Township
or Village Port Clinton
or City of
Registration District No. 731 File No. 5211
Primary Registration District No. 2034 Registered No. 11
No. St. Ward
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 26 yrs. mos. da. How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? 40 yrs. about mos. da.
Did Deceased Serve in U. S. Navy or Army No
(If nonresident give city or town and State)

2 FULL NAME Thomas Joseph Hunt.
(a) Residence. No. 229 West 6th St. Ward.
(Usual place of abode)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Male
4. COLOR OR RACE White
5. Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word) Married
6a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or WIFE of) Luella Y Jansen
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Feb. 22 1884
7. AGE Years 48 Months 10 Days 28 If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

OCCUPATION
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Plumber & Mech
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as cotton mill, saw mill, bank, etc. U S Dock Shop
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) May 1930
11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation 21

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Canada Amherst burg
13. NAME Thomas Hunt
MOTHER
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Grosse Isle Mich
15. MAIDEN NAME Ellen
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Ireland
17. The Signature of INFORMANT and (Address) Luella Hunt 229 W 6th P. Clinton O
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place Port Clinton Date June 23 1933
19. UNDERTAKER (Address) J J Mylander P. Clinton O
19a. Was body embalmed? Yes Registered No. 41849
20. FILED 1-23 1933 Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) Jan 20 1933
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 6-26 1926 to 1-20 1933
I last saw alive on 1-20 1933 death is said to have occurred on the date stated above at 1157 p.m.
The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance in order of onset were as follows:
Hypostatic pneumonia 1-18-33
Cardiac insufficiency 1-19-33
Colitis - Ischio-rectal abscess 12 yrs. 11-30-32
CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES of importance not related to principal cause:
accident - fell from scaffolding + fractured pelvis 8-11-24 11-30-32
Name of operation Cast Ischio-rectal abscess Date of
What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?
23. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury 19
Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county, and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.
Manner of injury
Nature of injury
24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No
If so, specify
(Signed) William Mauer M. D.
Date 1-23 1933 Address 125 E 2nd St. Port Clinton O

or information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

Thomas Joseph Hunt 1883-1933

Thomas fell from a scaffold while working on a roof at the Erie Proving Grounds and died four years later of complications from his injuries.

He was the second son of Thomas and Ellen Hunt

Rites Held Monday for Thomas Hunt

1-27-1933

Funeral services for Thomas Hunt were held Monday from the home, Rev. Mr. Lawson, rector of St. Thomas' church, officiating. The body was laid to rest in Lakeview cemetery. Mr. Hunt died at his home on West Sixth street, Friday, January 20, 1933, aged 49.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hunt and was born in Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada, February 22, 1884, and at the age of eight he moved with his parents to Toledo. He sailed on the Great Lakes for a number of years and for over 10 years he was employed at the Erie Proving Ground. While on the roof of a building there he fell to the ground and for over four years was an invalid, and was bedfast most of the time. Two weeks before his death he became ill and was unable to rally.

He is survived by his wife, three brothers, on Staten Island, and one sister who also resides on Staten Island, and one brother who lives in Toledo.

Thomas Joseph Hunt
1883-1933

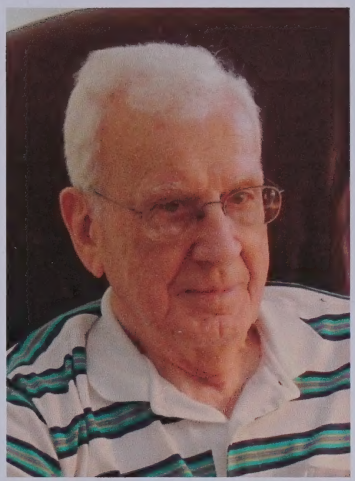
Second child of Thomas and Ellen Hunt

William John Hunt 1880-1947

Zuletta Pearl Dilly 1884-1937

William & Zuletta, Albert & Stella

Marie and Raymond Hunt
New York World's Fair 1939



Raymond Hunt 2013

WWII Pacific island 1945

Frank Hunt & son

Robert & Frank Hunt
ca 1930

Dorothy & Frank Hunt

Anita Leblanc & Ray Hunt

Pop Hunt & Robert, Ray, Marie

Nana Mary & Robert John

Robert John & Frank Hunt

Gary and Ray Hunt

Original caption: Many of the participants in the Great International Figure Skating Carnival to be held at Madison Square Garden, New York City, March 14, 1934 for the benefit of Bellevue Hospital Social Relief Fund, held a dress rehearsal at the Ice Club Skating Rink, March 6. Photo shows (left to right) Roy P. Hunt, Miss Nettie C. Prantel, Miss Valerie Jones and Joseph K. Savage of the Skating Club of New York. 3/6/34.

Roy P. Hunt, Sept. 20 1899 – July 1, 1973

The Harry B. Williams

Great Lakes Dredge and Dock Co.

One of the tugs operated by Francis Leo "Pop" Hunt

Francis Leo "Pop" Hunt, with his 1935 Chevrolet Master Deluxe.

The car featured suicide doors, bucket chair-like seats, split front windshield, continental kit spare tire, "artillery" steel wheels, in-line 6 cylinder 216 cid Stovebolt Six engine and 6 volt electrical system. It had a 3-speed synchromesh transmission, rigid axle suspension and a heater was standard. Sold for $560 it would cost $10,090 in today's dollars.

Although this was a 1935 Chevy, the undated photo is probably from the early 1940's.

Mary Frances and Francis Leo Hunt
with son Frank L. Hunt – 1919

Mary Frances Pickett and Francis Leo Hunt
(ca 1950)

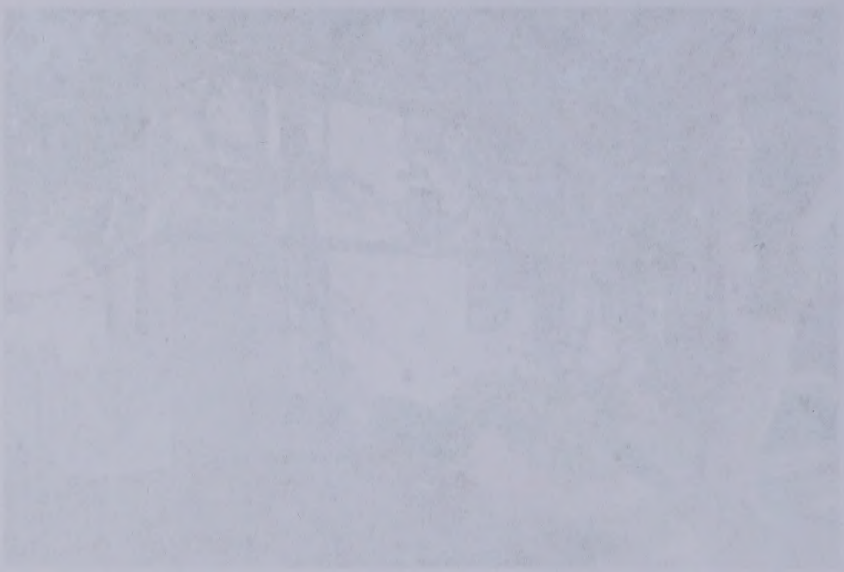
William and Helen Picket
with daughter Mary Frances - 1896

Roy Patrick Hunt
1934

1930 U.S. Census

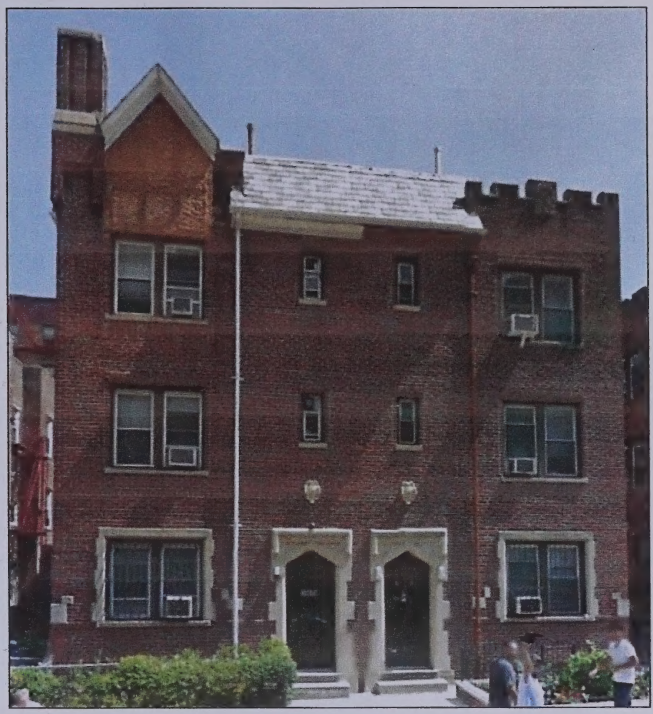
50 Haughwout Ave, Staten Island NY

Residence of Ellen (Lovett) Hunt
John David Hunt and Mary Isabell Hunt
John's occupation is "dredgeman"
The house rent was $55 per month.
Ellen died in 1931.



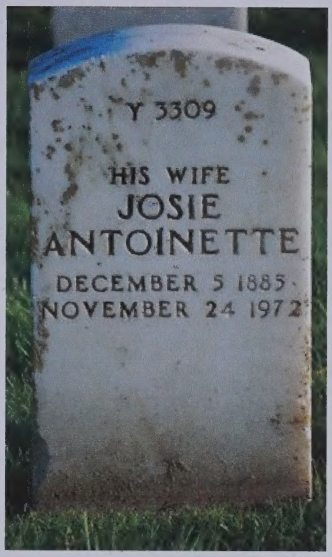
1940 Census – Hunt family living at 201 Dubois Ave.
Staten Island, NY

Frances Leo Hunt and Mary Frances Hunt
Children: Frank, Raymond, Marie, Anita
(Robert Hunt 1922-1937)



3519 72nd St. Queens NY

In 1940 John David Hunt, his sister Mary Isabella, brother
Roy Patrick and his wife Mary E. (Hayes) Hunt
lived in this apartment in Queens NY



Alfred E. Hunt and his second wife Josie Antionette are interred together in Golden Gate National Cemetery, San Bruno, California. Typical of military cemeteries they share one grave marker. Alfred was an Army enlistee in WWI and his unit was the 56th Artillery Coastal Artillery Corps.

The 56th arrived in France April 4, 1918 and served until the armistice of Nov. 11. It is not certain that Alfred went to France because only 13 of 33 regiments saw action. If he did his artillery battery would have had four 155mm French guns. An "ammunition train" was composed of artillery, transport wagons pulled by tractors, ammunition and all necessary equipment.

Last Rites Are Held For Maurice G. Hunt

Final rites for Maurice G. Hunt, Osawatomie, were held Friday afternoon at the Eddy Funeral Home.

Hunt died Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker on John Brown Highway. He was 74.

He was born Aug. 24, 1884 in Kansas City. On June 19, 1914 he married Grace Adair. She preceded him on June 30, 1945.

Hunt worked at a variety of occupations. At one time he was a teller for the Drover's National Bank in Kansas City. On moving to Osawatomie he operated a poultry business for a number of years. From 1945 to 1956 he was employed at the Osawatomie State Hospital.

Last of Family

He was the last member of his family.

The Rev. A. Otis Beach conducted the services. Burial was in the Oakwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Ida Phares played organ selections. Pallbearers were John Walker, Edgar Griffith, Nelson Cowden, Zola Carey, and Doug Hagadorn.

Osawatomie Graphic News
4 June 1959

Maurice G. Hunt, son of David John Hunt and Kate Green, married Grace Adair in 1914. In the 1930 and 1940 census they were not living together, most likely separated. They were reunited in death, buried together in Oakwood Cemetery in Osawatomie Kansas.

Research shows that Grace Adair was the granddaughter of John Brown's (the abolitionist) half-sister Florella Brown. Grace was born in the now historic John Brown cabin which was on her family's homestead. The cabin was Brown's headquarters on and off during the 20 months he spent in Kansas. One of the rooms was said to have been used to hide runaway slaves

GRACE ADAIR HUNT

Grace Adair, eldest daughter of Charles S. and Mary Gardner Adair was born in the John Brown cabin on the home farm one mile west of Osawatomie, and grew to young womanhood there.

She attended school here and was a member of the first class to graduate from the Osawatomie high school, completing the high school work in 1894. She then worked in the office of the Remington Lumber company operated by her uncle, J. B. Remington; after ten years there she went to Kansas City, Mo., to the C. J. Carter lumber company where she worked as chief bookkeeper for 37 years, finishing her work there some three years ago.

She gave unfailing devotion and tender care to her aged aunt, Anna Gardner, who preceded her in death just six weeks ago.

Mrs. Hunt passed away at her home on the old homestead in the early morning of June 30, 1945.

The funeral service was held at the Eddy Funeral Home on Tuesday, July 3, with Rev. Max Barnes of the Methodist church, officiating and Rev. W. C. Burton, pastor of the First Congregational church of Kansas City, Mo., assisting him.

Heaven will be richer for her presence, and earth will long be blessed by the memory of her gracious life.

She was a member of the P. E. O. sisterhood, the Mercy Hospital League, the Monday club, and enjoyed the homey work of the Indianapolis Farm Bureau Unit.

Mrs. Hunt was deeply religious, as a small child she was taken to Sunday school and church by her grandfather, the Rev. S. L. Adair, who was the pioneer pastor in this part of the newly settled country. She worked enthusiastically in the Sunday school department of the Congregational church held in the old stone church which still stands on North Sixth Street, in Osawatomie. After going to Kansas City she was affiliated with the Presbyterian church, later transferring her membership to the First Congregational church there.

On June 20, 1914, she was married to M. J. Hunt, who, with a brother, Walter B. Adair of Russelville, Ky., survive her.

Mrs. Hunt was richly endowed with all the gracious attributes of womanhood; patience, sincerity, tolerance and kindness were the ways of her daily life, no word of criticism or condemnation passed her lips, her faith in God was staunch in time of adversity as in time of security.

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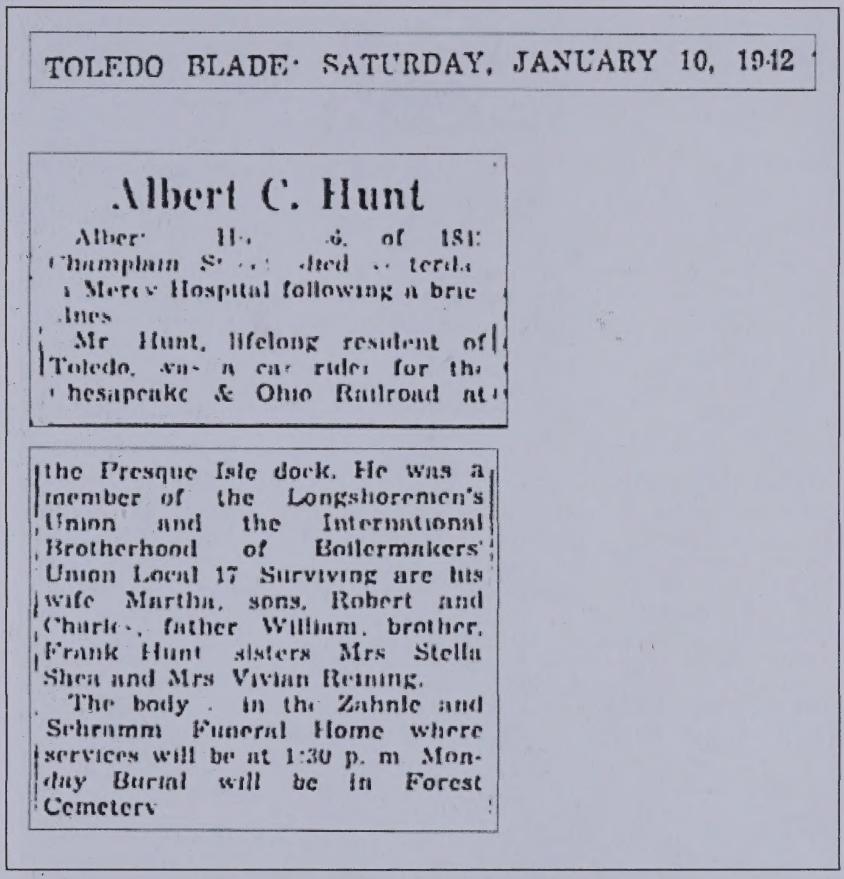

TOLEDO BLADE· SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1942

Albert C. Hunt

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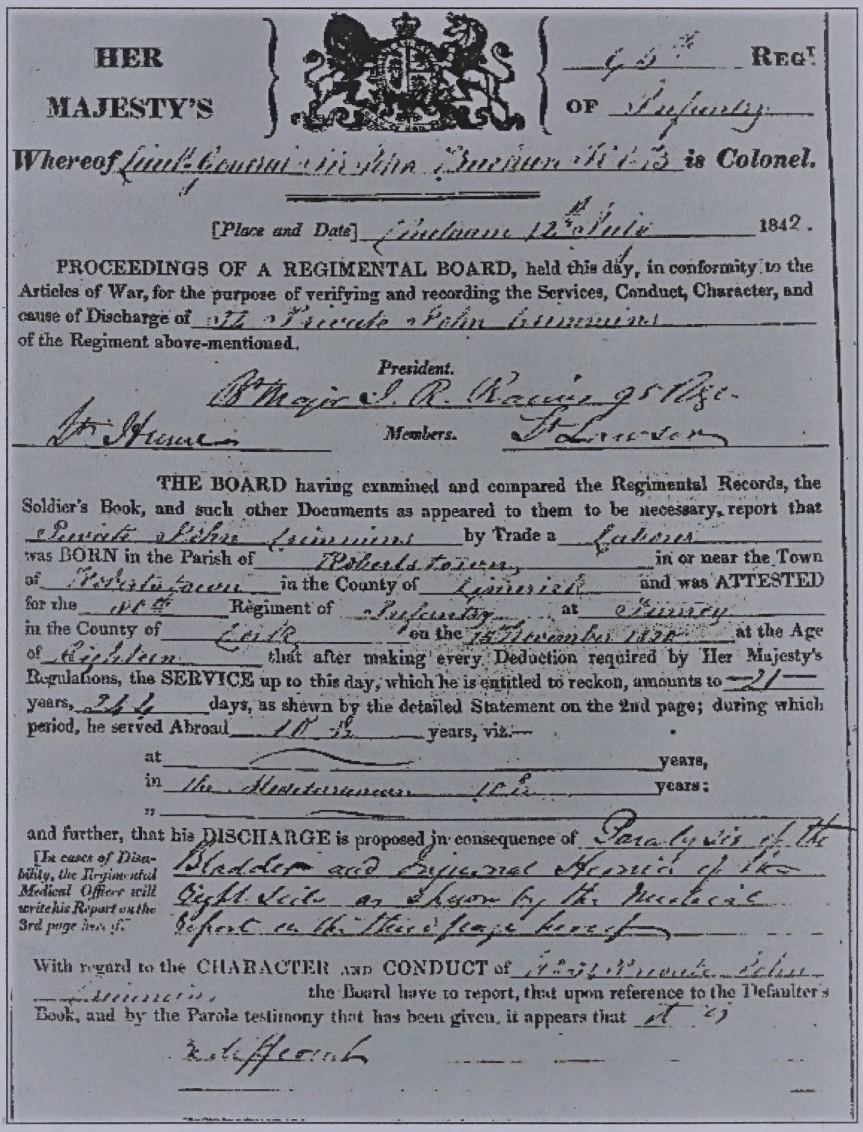
Mr Hunt, lifelong resident of Toledo, was a car rider for the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad at the Presque Isle dock. He was a member of the Longshoremen's Union and the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers' Union Local 17 Surviving are his wife Martha, sons, Robert and Charles, father William, brother, Frank Hunt sisters Mrs Stella Shea and Mrs Vivian Reining.

The body · in the Zahnle and Schramm Funeral Home where services will be at 1:30 p. m Monday Burial will be in Forest Cemetery

Albert Charles Hunt

1905 – 1942

Parents: William John Hunt and Zuletta Pearl Dilly



HER MAJESTY'S 65th Regt. of Infantry.

Whereof Lieut-General Sir John Burgoyne Bart. is Colonel.

[Place and Date] Chatham 12th July 1842.

PROCEEDINGS OF A REGIMENTAL BOARD, held this day, in conformity to the Articles of War, for the purpose of verifying and recording the Services, Conduct, Character, and cause of Discharge of No 1 Private John Crimmins of the Regiment above-mentioned.

President. Bt Major J. R. Racine 95th Regt.

Members. Jn Howe — F. Lawson

THE BOARD having examined and compared the Regimental Records, the Soldier's Book, and such other Documents as appeared to them to be necessary, report that Private John Crimmins by Trade a Labourer was BORN in the Parish of Roberstown in or near the Town of Roberstown in the County of Limerick and was ATTESTED for the 65th Regiment of Infantry at Limerick in the County of Cork on the 14th November 1820 at the Age of Eighteen that after making every Deduction required by Her Majesty's Regulations, the SERVICE up to this day, which he is entitled to reckon, amounts to 21 years, 244 days, as shewn by the detailed Statement on the 2nd page; during which period, he served Abroad 18 years, viz.—

at ~ years,
in the Mediterranean 10 years;
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and further, that his DISCHARGE is proposed in consequence of Paralysis of the Bladder and Internal Hernia of the right side as shown by the Medical Report on the third page hereof

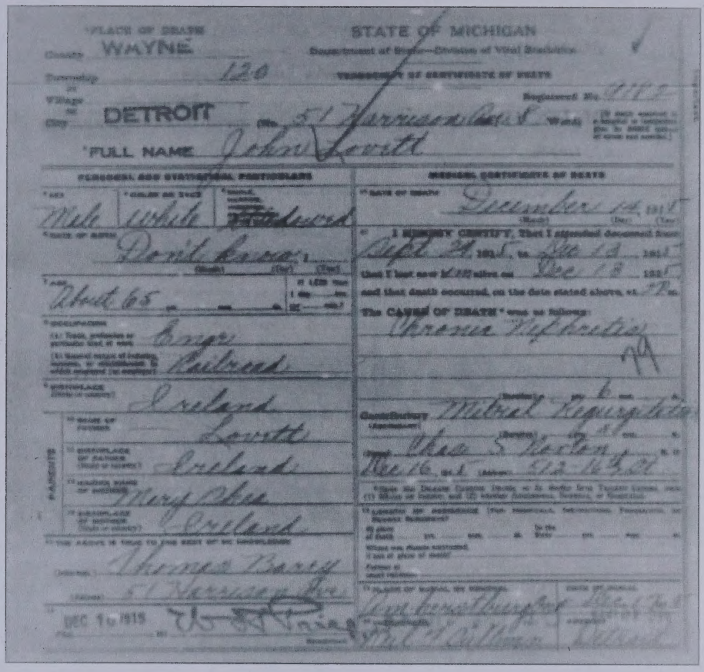
[In cases of Disability, the Regimental Medical Officer will write his Report on the 3rd page here of.]

With regard to the CHARACTER AND CONDUCT of No 1 Private John Crimmins, the Board have to report, that upon reference to the Defaulter's Book, and by the Parole testimony that has been given, it appears that A 1 Good

John Crimmins' discharge from the British Army.
He served from 1819 to 1842 and was pensioned off
to Canada and settled in the Ft. Malden, Ontario area.
John and Mary raised Ellen, their niece, who married
our great-great grandfather William George Hunt in 1853.

AMHERSTBURG ECHO March 31, 1882

Death of John Crimmins - On Friday morning last, there died at his residence in this town, John Crimmins, who was one of its oldest residents, having first come here over thirty years ago. Deceased was born in the parish of Robertstown, Limerick County, Ireland, in 1798, and, at the age of 21, enlisted in Her Majesty's 95th Regiment of Foot, serving therein for nearly 22 years, and receiving his discharge, with pension, in Ireland, in August, 1842. In August, 1851, nine years after his discharge he came to Amherstburg, and resided for some years on the reserve, afterwards removing to Malden, and finally returning to Amherstburg in 1872. In 1877, he was elected a member of the Town Council, and in 1878 and 1879 he was elected Deputy Reeve, and was the oldest representative who has ever had a seat in the County Council. While in the Council he was very painstaking in the discharge of his duties in town. His wife died 22 years ago, and three sons -- Thomas, Patrick and Edmund -- and four daughters are dead, the only surviving member of his family being Mrs. Daniel Graveline of this town. In Ireland in 1843, deceased took the Father Matthew temperance pledge and has been very temperate ever since. His funeral took place from the R. C. church, on Sunday afternoon last, and was attended by a large number of his aged fellow-soldiers and by the members of the Town Council, who attended in a body to honor the memory of their old colleague in the council.



STATE OF MICHIGAN

PLACE OF DEATH
County WAYNE
Township 120
Village or City DETROIT
No. 51 Vernor East Ward

FULL NAME John Lovett

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS
Sex Male
Color or race White
Single
Married or widowed Widowed
Date of birth Don't know
Age 62 yrs 65 mos
If LESS than 1 day hrs min
If LESS than 1 year ds mos
Occupation (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work: Cooper
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer): Railroad
Birthplace Ireland
Name of father Lovett
Birthplace of father Ireland
Maiden name of mother Mary Shea
Birthplace of mother Ireland
Informant Thomas Barry
Address 51 Vernon Ave
DEC 16 1915

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
Date of death December 14 1915
I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Sept 21 1915 to Dec 13 1915
that I last saw h alive on Dec 13 1915
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 7 m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: Chronic Nephritis
Contributory Mitral Regurgitation
Thea S Horton M.D.
Dec 16 1915
Burial Dec 16 1915

John Lovett, brother of Ellen Josephine Lovett (Hunt)
Married Katherine Cavanaugh 1876

Interred in St. John the Baptist Cemetery, Amherstburg Ontario